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ALLIES CAPTURE CROTONE

Stubborn Fighting Around Naples

Germans Evacuate Their Forces On Eighth Army Front By Air

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Allied troops now hold practically the whole of the underside of the toe of Italy. This is indicated by the capture of Crotone, 30 miles north-east of Catanzaro, which was announced in to-day's communique from Allied headquarters, North Africa.

Crotone—one of the first towns on the Italian mainland to be shelled by the Royal Navy—has a large port and is an important railway junction.

GERMAN EVACUATION

LONDON: An American commentator broadcasting from Algiers to-day said that the Germans on the Eighth Army front are evacuating part of their forces by air.

North Italy Under Rommel's Control

The Swiss radio states that Rommel is now in control of the entire North Italian territory as far as Bologna.

The town of Como is reported to have been occupied last night by the Germans. "South of a line running from Spezia to Ravenna the Badoglio Government is in control of the entire province of Tuscany, the greater part of Lazio and the Apruzze Mountains as far as the Naples region.

South of Naples begins territory occupied to a large extent by the Allies."

Fighting Around Naples

ALGIERS Sept. 9: The United Nations' radio said that Germans and Italians are fighting in the hills north and south of Naples.

The radio announcer said: "Allied forces in the Salerno region have tightened their grip on the coastline and at the same time have moved inland beyond the town of Salerno. Contact has been made all along the Gulf. Stubborn fighting continues along the main road which leads out of Salerno towards Naples and other large cities. The Germans are mining as they retreat and they are leaving large deposits of booby traps.

Italian resistance is stiffening everywhere. The Italians still hold Varese.

A small Italian warship has arrived at Cyprus, the announcer continued.

AIR ATTACKS ROUND NAPLES AREA

To-day's North African Air Communique says: "During the night of September 11/12 medium and light bombers of the North-West African Air Forces continued to attack roads and transports at Corleto, Auletta and Sapri areas. Attacks were maintained yesterday by light bombers, while heavy and medium bombers again attacked important road points round the Naples area. Heavy bombers also attacked the airfield at Frosinone.

Fighters intercepted enemy attacks over the Salerno area and destroyed four enemy aircraft. Last night the road junction at Castel Nuovo northeast of Battipaglia was attacked by our night bombers. During these operations a total of eight enemy aircraft were destroyed. Two of our aircraft are missing.

CAIRO: To-day's Middle East Air communique states: "LIBERATORS of the Ninth United States Air Force attacked the aerodrome at Maritza and Calato in Rhodes yesterday. Six aircraft were set on fire. At Calato bursts were seen in the dispersal areas north and west of the runway.

Aircraft of the South African Air Force attacked and secured a direct hit on an enemy vessel unloading its cargo off the north coast of Gavdos island south of Crete on Saturday. The crew abandoned the vessel which was left burning and down at the stern.

Alpine Passes Occupied

A Swiss official statement quoted by the Swiss radio said that the call up of a number of army units had been ordered including the fortress garisons of St. Maurice, St. Gothard, and Sargans. Alpine passages and all their approaches are occupied."

German Parachutists Liberate Musso

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The German News Agency tonight issued the following communique from Hitler's Headquarters: "German parachutists and men of security service and armed as S.S. today performed an operation for the liberation of Signor Mussolini, who had been imprisoned by the clique of traitors.

The coup succeeded. The Duce is at liberty. The handing over of the Duce to Anglo-Americans, agreed to by the Badoglio Government, has thus been frustrated."

This is first official news of Mussolini since he resigned on July 25.

WILL MUSSO HEAD FASCIST GOVT?

The German overseas news service said last night, "The fact that the announcement of Mussolini's liberation was issued from the Fuehrer's headquarters is interpreted in Berlin as an indication that the Fuehrer himself had prepared the plan for his friend.

The question is now being asked whether Mussolini will now head a Fascist National Government. The reply to all these questions is not expected before Monday morning."

LONDON DENIAL

It is authoritatively stated that Mussolini has never at any time been in Allied hands and was not in our hands at the time of the reported carrying off by the Germans. It follows that the reports that he had been in Sicily are unfounded. Nothing indeed is known in London of the whereabouts of the ex-Italian leader. —Reuter.

MUSSOLINI ON WAY TO HITLER'S H. Q.

ALLGIERS, Sept. 13.

THE RADIO FROM FRANCE SAYS THAT MUSSOLINI IS NOW ON HIS WAY TO HITLER'S HEADQUARTERS.—REUTER.

HULL ON WORLD SECURITY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.

The United States Secretary of State Mr. Cordell Hull, in a broadcast on Sunday on American foreign policy, said:—"Throughout our national history our basic policy in dealing with foreign nations has rested upon certain beliefs which are widely and deeply rooted in the minds of our people.

Outstanding among these are, first, all peoples who with decent respect to opinions of mankind have qualified themselves to assume and to discharge the responsibilities of liberty, are entitled to its enjoyment.

Second, each sovereign nation, large or small, is in law and under law the equal of every other nation.

Third, all nations, large and small, which respect the rights of others are entitled to freedom from outside interference in their internal affairs.

Fourth, willingness to settle international disputes by peaceful means and acceptance of inter-national law and observance of its principles are the bases of order among nations and of mankind continuing search of enduring peace. Fifth, non-discrimination in economic opportunity and treatment is essential to the maintenance of international relations.

Sixth, that co-operation between nations in a spirit of good neighbours founded on the principles of liberty, equality, justice, morality and law is the most effective method of safeguarding and promoting political, economic, social and cultural wellbeing of our nation and of all nations.

These beliefs are among the most important tenets of our national faith. They are capable of universal application as rules of national and international conduct.

In their application by other nations and in willingness and preparedness on the part of all peaceful nations to join together to make them effective lies the greatest hope of security happiness and prosperity for this country and her Allies".—Reuter.

Allied Capture Salamaua 'Drome

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Salamaua aerodrome was captured on Sunday by Allied troops, says today's Gen. MacArthur's communique.

APPEAL TO GERMAN ANTI-NAZIS

LONDON, Sept. 13:—An appeal to German anti-Nazis to do their utmost to destroy Nazidom has been issued by the Union of German Socialist organisations in Britain.

Beware Of Union With Britain!

America Advised To Remain "Sister And Spinster"

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.

The "New York Daily News" in the course of a leader under caption "Poor Man Weds Rich Girl" suggests that Mr. Churchill's Harvard speech was nothing less than that of a marriage proposal of a blueblooded aristocrat of limited resources to an American heiress of huge wealth.

The paper adds: "Great Britain through matchmaker Churchill made a kind proposal of marriage to Miss Columbia, heiress of the western world. It is suggested Britain's worldly experience and ultramarine blood is a fair trade for Miss Columbia's rather vulgar, but acceptable wealth and fresh healthy strength. Miss Columbia has vast fortune. Of course she has oil, metals, synthetic rubber and coal. Many American heiresses have been happy and eager to exchange the control of their riches for a title. We feel Miss Columbia would be well advised just to remain a sister to Britain. Friends, you understand, but nothing more. Spinsterhood has some drawbacks but independence is not one of them."

SHINWELL SOLVES INDIAN PROBLEM!

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, Sept. 13

Anglo-American co-operation based on equality and undictated by big business of America and a larger part in the affairs of the Commonwealth for Dominions has been called for by Mr. Emmanuel Shinwell speaking at Durham yesterday:

"Everybody will endorse Mr. Churchill's proposals for Anglo-American co-operation after war but it must be real co-operation based on equality and undictated by American industrial and financial interests."

Mr. Shinwell said, "it would, to our advantage, strengthen economic co-operation within the British Commonwealth not in any sense antagonistic to other nations, but promote on terms of equality, economic arrangements with other nations. Dominions, after their excellent efforts in the war are entitled to play a larger part in the affairs of the British Commonwealth as regards both economic and political policy."

"Why should there not be created an imperial parliament wherein all dominions and colonies would be adequately represented? That may be a solution of the Indian problem —as well as promoting a higher standard of living throughout the Commonwealth. Let us have no false notion about the meaning of Commonwealth or Empire."

"To bring people together under common bond, harmonising their resources for common good is a great achievement for which we need not apologise. We must particularly join with Soviet Russia in reorganisation of Europe. Always remember that the Commonwealth, is, in resources and population greater than the United States and the Soviet Union combined."

GANDHIJI IS NOT PRO-AXIS

C. P. Liberal Assn. Shows Bracken's Allegation Is Unfounded

(From Our Correspondent.)

NAGPUR, Sept 13.

The C. P. Liberal Association, at its meeting held on Thursday last, passed a number of resolutions dealing with Bengal Relief, food situation, rationing, release of detenus, South African Pegging Act and censorship.

The Association was of the opinion that the insinuation of Mr. Branden Bracken, the British Minister of Information that Mahatma Gandhi was pro-Axis was unfounded. The Mahatma's non-violence and pacifism should not be mistaken or misconstrued as sympathy for the Axis Powers.

The Association recommended the introduction of rationing in Nagpur; opined that for the efficient solution of the food problem as well as the problem of defence and the successful prosecution of the war it was essential that the present Government should be replaced at once by a National Government enjoying the confidence of the people of India and it protested against the continued detention of thousands of Indians without trial and demanded their immediate release.

LONDON:—Two Axis coastal ships and one barge were sunk by R A F Bombers off the Dutch coast on Monday.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON (October)

NEW YORK, September 13.

Previous closing	20.20
Today's opening	20.17
Difference	—.03
Today's Closing	20.19
Difference	—.01

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices:

General Motors $51-7/8.
Anaconda Copper Mining $25-1/8.
U. S. Steel Corpn $51-3/4.
U. S. Steel Pref. unquoted.

British troops boarding invasion craft at Catania as zero hour approaches on the morning of September 3 for the invasion of the Italian mainland. This photograph was radioed from London to India.

Horniman Arrested

Released On Bail And To Appear Before City C. P. M. Today: Allahabad Warrant Sequel

BOMBAY, Sept. 13.

Mr. B. G. Horniman, Editor of the "Bombay Sentinel", was arrested to-day on a warrant issued by the Allahabad High Court for alleged contempt of court. He was taken to the Phaltan Road Police Station by Deputy Inspector Cains, where a personal bond of Rs. 1,000 was entered into together with one surety of Rs. 1,000 to appear before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay at 11 a. m. to-morrow (Tuesday). Mr. M. N. Cama, Managing Director of the "Bombay Chronicle", "Bombay Sentinel" and "Bombay Samachar" gave his bond as surety for Mr. Horniman.

The "Sentinel" contempt case will come up for hearing before the Allahabad High Court at 10-30 a.m. on September 18.

39 DEATHS ON SUNDAY

CALCUTTA, Sept. 13.

The Directo. of Public Information states that on September 12 there were 24 admissions of sick-destitutes in the Campbell Hospital and 102 in the Behala A.R.P. Hospital.

Thirty-nine deaths occurred in different hospitals, 43 being discharged.—United Press.

No Food For Two Days

KHULNA, Sept. 12.

For the last two days no rice is available in the local market. Men who depend upon daily purchase of rice are practically without food.—A. P.

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CHIANG BECOMES PRESIDENT AND C.-IN-C.

CHUNGKING, Sept. 13.

Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-Shek, Acting President, was elected President of China at this afternoon's meeting of the Central Executive Committee.

The President of China becomes the Commander-in-Chief of the land, sea and air forces and will also represent China in foreign relations as the result of important amendments passed at the plenary session of the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang to-day.

These amendments confer full powers of the Chinese Government on the President, who has hitherto been merely its titular head. General Chiang-Kai-Shek has been acting President of China since the death of Lin Sen.—Reuter.

COMMUNIST PROBLEM

The Chinese Communist problem, was a purely political problem and should be solved by political means, declared President and Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-Shek, in to-day's meeting of the plenary session of the Central Executive Committee, thus removing rumours of military measures against the Communists.

DETENUS IN BIHAR

RANCHI: There were 409 detenus in Bihar on September 9, it was revealed at a press conference by the chief secretary this afternoon. He added that the revised scale of maintenance allowance to the families of detenus has already been given effect to, which in certain cases amounted to rupees one hundred.—A. P.

STOP PRESS

RUSSIANS TAKE BRYANSK

MOSCOW, Sept. 13: It is officially announced that Bryansk railway junction has been captured.—Reuter.

DUCE JOINS HIS FAMILY

LONDON, Sept. 13

The German News Agency stated to-night, "Signor Mussolini immediately after his liberation had a telephone conversation with the Fuehrer. Later, the Duce joined his family which had also been rescued from captivity by special detachments of the security service of S. S."—Reuter.

BOMBAY PILOT AWARDED D. F. C.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The Distinguished Flying Cross has been awarded to Pilot Officer Shailendra Nath Sukthanker of R. A. F. V. R., it was announced to-night.

He is the third Indian to win the D.F.C. in this war.—A. P.

A.-I. Editors Session

NEW DELHI, Sept. 13

The "United Press" understands that there is a move afoot among the members of the Standing Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference to hold the session of the Committee in Calcutta. This, it is said, would enable the prominent editors to study the desperate food situation on the spot as also examine the question of effecting publication of the reports on the critical situation prevailing in Bengal.

It is understood the members are suggesting to the President of the Conference to convene the meeting in Calcutta shortly.—United Press.

Jail Delivery Before Wavell's Arrival

2,000 Out Of 4,000 Detenus Released In Bombay Province

NEW DELHI, Sept. 13.

It is gathered from competent circles that the policy of gradual release of second rank political workers arrested in connection with the last Civil Disobedience Movement which is already in operation might be given increasing effect throughout India, culminating in the release of Congress High Command members. But it is considered not likely that anything more than the release of political workers will be done during Lord Linlithgow's regime. There is a possibility that Congress big guns might be released only when Lord Wavell takes over charge of India. But will the release of political prisoners herald any change in the country's government, is the question asked in political circles. There is not much optimism in this connection though this contingency is not altogether ruled out. It is even suggested by far-sighted people that gradual release of prisoners which has so long proceeded with slow pace is being expedited now only to clear grounds for the new Viceroy in order to enable him to strike his own line not hampered by the past liabilities. —Orient Press.

2,000 Out Of 4,000 Bombay Detenus Released

It is understood that since August 9, last year, nearly 4,000 persons have been detained in the Province of Bombay, under the Defence of India Rules. Of these nearly 2,000 have been released so far.

Cases of other detenus are, it is further understood, being reviewed individually and more releases may, from time to time take place as a result of this investigation.

"HABEAS CORPUS" PLEA REJECTED

KARACHI, Sept. 13.

The "Habeas Corpus" applications in the Fanjrapore bomb explosion case have been rejected by a Full Bench of the Chief Court of Sind.

It will be recalled that ten persons were 'challaned' in this case before a Special Judge who acquitted four and sentenced six to various terms of imprisonment.

MIRAJ: At Malgaon in the Miraj Senior State, the police found a crude bomb in the residence of Mr. Babu Bhau Mhaisale who is absconding. His brothers Messrs. Kallappa Mhaisale and Dadu Mhaisale were arrested under the Explosive Substances Act and D.I.R. Another person was also arrested. The police searched the residence of a washerman at Miraj and arrested three men and one woman for alleged housebreaking and committing dacoities.

A.-I.S.A. WORKER REARRESTED

MADRAS: Mr. P. S. Rangaswami, manager of the All-India Spinners' Association, Dharapuram Taluka, who was released recently has been arrested again under Rule 62 of the Defence of India Rules and taken to Vellore for detention.

CALICUT: Police searched the office of the Kerala National Labour Federation and arrested four persons. —U. P.

"AZAD" EDITOR ACQUITTED

KARACHI, Sept. 13

Moulvi Abdul Karim Chisthi, editor of the "Azad", daily of Karachi, who was charged with having published an alleged prejudicial article was today acquitted by the Court. Mr. Chishti was arrested on January 18, under D.I.R.—A. P.

UNDERTRIAL ESCAPES FROM POLICE CUSTODY

BEZWADA, Sept. 13: Mr. V. C. Kulkarni of Poona, an undertrial prisoner who was arrested under the D. I. R. sometime back, escaped from police custody on Saturday last while he was being taken from the court to the lock-up.

It is stated that he made good his escape from a hotel where the police stepped in for tea.—A. P.

TWENTY-THREE SENT TO SESSIONS

SURAT, Sept. 13.

Twenty-five persons were acquitted while 23 others were sent up for further trial by Mr. Jadhav S.D.O. Surat, when the Matwad Police Murder Case was sent to the sessions to-day. According to the prosecution on August 23 last, a procession was taken out in Matwad village, which led to a fracas when a police party attempted to disperse it. One policeman was killed and others were injured. Forty-eight persons were arrested in this connection.—A. P.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 13.

Eight persons were sentenced to-day by the Chief Presidency Magistrate to one month's R. I. each for taking part in a procession organised on August 9.—A. P.

Russians Cross Desna On Nazi Right Flank

SOVIET DRIVE ON BRYANSK: COSSACKS BUSY IN THE AZOV AREA

LONDON, Sept. 13.

The German news agency stated to-night: "The Russians yesterday crossed the Desna (south-east of Bryansk) from the right wing of the German front and established a bridgehead on the west bank.

SOVIET DRIVE ON BRYANSK

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Russian forces are to-day racing north and south of Bryansk to close the trap on this last big "hedgehog" stronghold on the southern front. Two powerful columns are sweeping around to cut the only two remaining railways out of Bryansk.

Don and Kuban Cossack cavalry, who drove the Germans back during the winter across the northern Caucasus, are again in action. In one battle these Cossacks cut down with their sabres more than 700 Germans.

Soviet To Recognise Iceland

LONDON: It is stated in diplomatic circles in London that the Soviet Government will establish diplomatic relations with Iceland very soon, for the first time. Discussions to this effect have already taken place in London and Moscow. Iceland declared independence after the Germans occupied Denmark and it plays an important role in the U. S. Lend and Lease plans to Russia.—(India Press Service)

RICE MERCHANT BROUGHT TO BOOK

MADRAS, Sept. 13

For violating the Food Grains Control Order, Mr D. Venkatasubba Rao, a wholesale rice merchant of Madras, was convicted and sentenced to three months' S. I. and to pay fines aggregating to Rs. 8,100 on various counts.—A. P.

SYDNEY: Dame Enid Lyons, widow of the former Prime Minister, who has been elected to a seat in the House of Representatives for Darwin, Tasmania, becomes the first woman to sit in the Commonwealth Parliament.

THEY NEED FOOD

Bengal's Starving Millions Look To You For Immediate Succour

Send your mite to Seth Pranlal Devkaran Nanjee, Hon. Treasurer, Bengal Relief Fund, 17, Elphinstone Circle, Fort, Bombay.

U. S. COST OF WAR

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.

Representative John Buell Snyder, Chairman of the Appropriations Sub-Committee handling army funds, predicted that the War Department would need 50,000 million dollars for the next fiscal year's operations. This amount would raise the total appropriated for the War Department since July 1, 1940, to 250,000 million dollars.

He said with the funds already appropriated the army is or soon will be receiving 10,000 planes monthly, including 300 "Fortresses."—Reuter.

Shafaat Ahmed Khan Meets Viceroy

NEW DELHI, Sept. 13.

The United Press learns that Sir Shafaat Ahmed Khan who lunched at the Viceroy's House to-day had long talks with the Viceroy regarding the situation created by the anti-Indian Pegging legislation.

LORD KEYNES FOR WASHINGTON

International Bank Plan For Post-War Reconstruction

LONDON, Sept. 11.
(Delayed)

"The Financial News" understands that Lord Keynes has left for Washington to take charge of negotiations with the United States treasury about post-war currency plans.

It is proposed to establish an international bank called "The bank for reconstruction of the United Nations and Associates" which will do on an international scale the business of reconstruction of war devastated areas possibly starting with the industrialisation of China. Two cardinal points in this longterm loan policy of the bank would have to be satisfied, firstly, funds are not available for private investors except at prohibitive rates of interest; secondly, the loan would permanently raise the borrowing country's standard of living.

LUMLEY'S NEW JOB

LONDON, Sept. 13.

A coming appointment to a high political and administrative post lies behind the promotion of Captain Sir Roger Lumley, former Governor of Bombay, to the rank of Major-General according to press reports to-day.

Sir Roger is quoted as saying that no announcement could yet be made about the character of the appointment, but one would probably be made later.—Reuter.

150 RED SHIRTS RELEASED

PESHAWAR, Sept. 13

One hundred and fifty Red Shirt prisoners have been released so far from Haripur Central Jail.

The 'Associated Press' is officially informed that Abdul Ghaffar Khan is in perfect health and there is no truth in the allegation in Dr. Khan Sahib's recent Press statement challenging the Press Note issued a few days ago.—A. P.

PATWARDHAN RELEASED

Sjt. Madhusudan B. Patwardhan of Kalyan has been released from Thana jail. He was arrested in September 1942.

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Date Extended

In view of the heavy rush of ration card holders to report departures of family members from May 1, 1943 upto now at the Ward Rationing Offices, Government has extended the date to September 15 by which past failures to make the necessary report can be rectified. The date will *not* be further extended.

(Take your ration card with you to the Ward Rationing Office).

Public Relations Officer (Rationing).

All India Weather

POONA, Sept. 13.

The following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at eight on September 9, 1943 :—

Allahabad 94 78 0; Bombay 85 75 0.1; Calcutta 90 78 0.6; Cawnpore 93 76 1.0; Cuttack 95 82 0; Darjeeling 67 59 0.4; Delhi 95 81 0; Dehra Dun 88 73 2.4; Jacobabad 100 78 0. Karachi 84 76 0. Lahore 103 1 0; Lucknow 95 79 0; Madras 87 75 0.1; Nagpur 90 75 0.2; Patna 93 73 0.1; Peshawar 102 80 0; Shillong 77 66 0; Simla 69 60 0.3.—A. P.

"Swaraj is my birth-right and I will have it".
—TILAK.

The Bombay Chronicle

PROFESSION AND PRACTICE

Reuters have not reported American reactions to Mr. Churchill's speech at the Harvard University. From the British point of view they are not worth the while of people in India to know. But Americans did comment on it and the views of their Press are highly interesting. Some papers like the isolationist "Chicago Tribune" are rather virulently and fanatically anti-British. But others, too, are far from favourable to his proposals. Even friendly journals like the faithful "New York Times" feel uncomfortable and do realize its obvious dangers which they seek to dispose of by apologetically deprecating interpretations to which Mr. Churchill's plan is clearly open. Others are more blunt and frank. The Americans naturally look at the British Premier's plan from their point of view and have had no difficulty in seeing in it an attempt to usher in 'an Anglo-American century", an attempt which is immediately dangerous because an exclusive Anglo-American military alliance will inevitably lead other nations "to form opposing alliances against us." This, together with the bitterness and other consequences of the perpetuation of Imperialism, is bound to lead to another world war.

The American Government has officially said nothing about Mr. Churchill's plan. But Mr. Cordell Hull has just given in a broadcast his Government's views on the post-war world and the prerequisites of international co-operation. In one sense Mr. Cordell Hull's address amounts to a rejection of Mr. Churchill's proposals, for the American Secretary of State seems pointedly to think in terms of an internationalism that excludes a separate and distinct Anglo-American alliance within, but also apart from, an inclusive international organisation. He also in his suggestions defines the right of a people to freedom in terms which, if interpreted honestly, automatically liberate virtually all the "colonial" peoples from Imperialist yokes.

But that is the crux of the question. The principles formulated by Mr. Cordell Hull are really not new and are set in language sufficiently general to be cynically betrayed while being sanctimoniously applauded as has happened so often in the past. Moreover, there is a definite danger of America's acquiescing in such betrayal. For instance, Mr. Cordell Hull's scheme appears to relate to every part, people and territory of the world and to envisage America participating in the correct disposal of their future on the basis of "morality, law and justice" and his essentially moral, legal and just conditions entitling a people to freedom. But Mr. Hull's own Government insists on declaring that America is indifferent to the relations between Imperialist Powers and the units of their Empire and that conflicts between them are a matter of these Imperialist Powers' own concern. This "neutral" attitude has recently been reiterated in Washington, which of course, has been promptly reported by Reuters. The Americans are themselves contradicting their principles in their practice. In the circumstances what hopes can Mr. Cordell Hull's statement arouse in that part of the world which is denied freedom by the Imperialism of the Western nations? The post-war world is endangered by America's unwillingness to rise to its own professions as proclaimed by Mr. Cordell Hull. That is the tragedy.

Release Of Detenus

According to a special cable to a contemporary a Cabinet Committee has been appointed in England to consider how Defence Regulations can gradually be abolished as the war progresses. Of special interest to India is the suggestion put forward that Section 18-B of the Defence Regulations in the United Kingdom—the section which authorizes the Secretary of State to detain certain persons without trial—is no longer required and may, therefore, be abolished. In India such a provision is less necessary now than in England. The ordinary law itself is most drastic and the Defence of India Rules have created fresh triable offences to meet every possible contingency. Rule No. 26 to detain persons without a trial was not, therefore, necessary except for extraordinary cases which could not be tried in ordinary courts and which needed to be considered by Government direct as in England. But it was promulgated by a constitutionally irresponsible Government and was enforced in a manner and to an extent that scandalised even the Federal Court. That Court declared the Rule itself invalid. Government had the temerity to validate it retrospectively. But shamed before the world by the Court's criticism of the way petty officials have been depriving thousands of responsible citizens of their liberty without a trial and without Government investigating into the grounds for the detention, the Government of India appear to have asked Provincial Governments to re-examine the cases of detention and the Governments in some provinces have found it necessary to release many prisoners for the reason, among others, that there was no reasonable evidence against the detenus except the mere suspicion of local police officials. Thus in Bombay Province about 2,000 detenus have by now been released out of about 4,000 detenus. It is said that the cases of others are being investigated. Considering the long time the investigation has gone on, the pace of release of absolutely innocent men and women cannot be said to be fast enough to meet the ends of justice. There is more justice in the Frontier Government's decision to release 1,000 out of 1,060 detenus and to consider the cases of the remaining sixty, though we do not see why the daily batch of released prisoners should be so small as fifty. It behoves all Provincial Governments to do the right thing in a way that would appeal to the imagination of the people.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Shocking

It is not often that Dr. Ambedkar speaks on politics. His appointment as Labour Member of the Viceroy's Council has made him even more reticent on the subject. But the recent proposal of Mr. Curtin, the Australian Premier, for an Imperial Consultative Council has induced him to remark in the course of an interview with our Delhi representative that "it is shocking to know that statesmen of Dominions and Empire should be under the belief that the Empire could be saved without India being a willing and equal partner in the Commonwealth of Nations." He stated further:

"The Empire can only be saved if India can remain a willing partner in it. It is in the self-interest of Dominions to make India a willing partner in British Commonwealth."

True. Profoundly true. But the pity of it is that neither any of the Dominions nor Britain is doing anything to see that India secures her rightful place. Not even the Indian members of the Viceroy's Council seem to be in any haste to end India's subjection, but they are determined to keep in prison Congress leaders. Could anything be more shocking?

Social Reform Annual

"Social Reform Annual 1943" published by the Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association (pages 93; price Rs. 1/8), maintains the high level of merit of its five predecessors. The Annual is the only one of its kind in the country, specialising in articles on the various aspects of social reform and its progress in the country. Not the least important part of the Annual is that which reproduces the opinions submitted to Government from time to time by the Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association on the various problems of social reform. The present Annual contains the Association's opinions on the B. N. Rau Committee's two Bills on Hindu Law. The opinions are sound and scholarly and should be useful to every one interested in these Bills or social reform in general. The present volume also contains articles on Prohibition and Harijan Uplift and the Social Reforms of Akbar. Altogether, the Annual deserves to be on the bookshelf of every serious student of social reform.

Schoolboys' Example

What a splendid thing it will be from every point of view if the students of every high school and college co-operate in founding a scholarship of their own for Harijan students! We know of a Bombay school which did such a thing even before Gandhiji gave an impetus to the Harijan movement. Some of the students of the school had been following the custom of subscribing one pice each every Friday to a fund called the Chana Fund, utilised for the distribution of fried grams on that day to all students whether or not they had subscribed anything. When it was suggested to them that half the proceeds could be utilised to help at least one poor Depressed Class boy in the school, the boys, the teachers, and the school management all took up the idea with enthusiam. All the teachers and many more boys joined the Chana Fund and subscribed more than a pice each every Friday, and the Depressed Class boy, helped with a small scholarship, was made a free student in the school by the management. The whole thing was an unqualified success. We do not wish to disclose the name of the school as we are not sure whether the scholarship has been kept up or subsituted by other means of helping Harijan students. But the example set up by the boys many years ago deserves to be emulated by many.

HOLD INQUIRY INTO BENGAL FOOD MUDDLE

Shyamaprasad's Demand: Governor Visits Relief Centres

CALCUTTA, Sept. 13.

"At this crisis if any administrative act done or policy pursued by the Ministry is prejudicial to the public interest, it is our bounden duty to point out where the mistakes have been committed so that they may be rectified in the common interest of all. We do not want food to be made a plaything of politics, and it is because of this that we demand an impartial inquiry into the transactions which, in our opinion, have considerably aggravated the present situation."

Thus states Dr. Shyamaprasad Mookerji in reply to a statement issued by Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Food Minister, Bengal, on the controversy about the contract given to a firm of Ispahanis for the purchase of rice on behalf of Government.

Dr Mookerji adds: "In spite of Mr. Suhrawardy's impudent threat, I shall adhere to all that I had already stated. Abuses will not alter the facts and the facts that have been disclosed taken along with the series of bunglings and blunders committed by the Ministry will reveal scandalous state of affairs, unique in the annals of any ministerial administration, however moved by party considerations. The matter is doubly serious as such policy was pursued at a time when the lives and well-being of the millions of Bengal's starving population were hanging in the balance. Let Mr. Suhrawardy and his friends, if they dare, agree to an independent inquiry. I, for one, am prepared to submit to such a decision."—United Press.

Governor Visits Relief Centres

The Governor of Bengal yesterday made an informal tour of relief centres in the Calcutta area.

SUHRAWARDY ENTIRELY SATISFIED

Mr. H S Suhrawardy, Minister for Civil Supplies, returned from Delhi to-day by air Mr. Suhrawardy said that he was entirely satisfied with the arrangements the Central Government were making for transport as well as for procurement of supplies of foodstuffs for the Province. Mr. Suhrawardy will make a statement before the Bengal Legislative Assembly tomorrow, when the House will meet for the special budget session.

OVER 4 LAKHS FOR RELIEF

In addition to subscriptions already announced, the Bengal Relief Committee have received up to September 9 Rs. 1,47,000. Total collections so far thus amounting to Rs. 4,05,000.

The Committee announce that the first batch of 17 boys is being sent to Pilani on the 15th instant, to be fed, clothed and educated there by the Birla Education Trust.

It has been arranged that out of the total number of 200, half the boys will be sent to Pilani and the other half to Jasidih.

FOR MUSLIM CHILDREN?

A Government of Bengal Press Note announces that in addition to the fully equped children's home which has been working for sometime past in Calcutta the Government have just started in the city another home for children, staffed entirely by Muslims.

GRUEL SCALE INCREASED

The Government of Bengal have decided to revise their scale of foodgrains for the preparation of gruel or "Kichuri" for free distribution through relief kitchens in the Province. A Press Note announces the revised scales.

RICE IN BLACK MARKET

CALCUTTA:—Reports from Madaripur State that rice and paddy are not at all available in the open market. Rice is, however, reported to be selling in the black market at Rs. 40 to Rs. 45 per maund.

At Kurigram in the district of Rangpur the local market is practically without any rice for sale. Ration card-holders who used to have rice at Rs. 15 per maund from the Government stock through the local Central Co-operative Bank could not get their supplies.

A report from Muktagachha in the district of Mymensingh also states that rice has altogether disappeared from the local markets. At Pabna too since September 10 rice and paddy have disappeared from the market. Even those who can purchase at high price are going to starve for want of supplies.

Half a dozen deaths are reported daily among the destitutes in Madaripur.

At Pabna the District Relief Committee has opened a baby welfare centre where about 100 destitute babies will be fed twice daily.

Delhi Assurance To Bengal

Mr. Hon. Shahbuddin, Bengal's Commerce and Labour Minister after his return from Delhi to-day was interviewed by the Orient Press he said "Government of India has assured him their best help in alleviating Bengal's distress. As regards arrangements with Punjab and Orissa he said they were satisfactory and Premiers of both the Provinces have assured every possible help to Bengal in her present dire distress. Orphans and destitute children of both the sexes have now been received in the Government Relief Centres. Yesterday 111 destitutes were sent from Calcutta to Bonjur Relief Camp. This brings the total number sent to camp. over 800.—Orient Press.

65 ORPHANS FOR PUNJAB

"We have sent a batch of 65 orphan boys to the Punjab to be looked after by the Punjab Pradeshik Pratinidhi Sabha at Lahore. No Muslim boys have been sent although there are ten such at our receiving station now. These boys were in piteous condition and were picked up from the streets of Calcutta. None has been kept against his will and each asked for food and shelter from us which we could not refuse." Thus observes Dr. Shyama Prosad Mookerjee in a statement.—U. P.

NOAKHALI: Over a dozen cases of deaths due to starvation and exposure have been reported from the Municipal area since the food situation became acute here. The bodies, mostly picked up from the roads and the Municipal market, have, it is learnt, been disposed of by the local Khademal Islam Samiti.—A. P.

Biscuits For Bengal

TRANSIT FACILITIES REFUSED.

BOMBAY, Sept. 13.

The 'Janmabhoomi' and 'Nutan Gujarat' Relief Fund has contributed Rs. 15,000 to the Ramakrishna Mission Bengal Starvation Relief Fund to carry out relief work through three centres at Tejpur-Narayanganj, Shaapur, Madaripur, Faridpur and Kalma-Dacca. The management of the 'Janmabhoomi' and 'Nutan Gujarat' Relief Fund have also offered 5,000 bags of 'bajri' to the Mission.

The 'United Press' understands that the Director of Civil Supplies has refused to issue permit for exporting 30 maunds of biscuits received by the Mission from some Bombay manufactures and dealers. Swami Sambuddhananda, President of the Mission, has requested the Director of Civil Supplies to reconsider the decision.

BOMBAY REMITTANCES

BOMBAY:—The Bengal Relief Fund Bombay Committee has remitted the fourth instalment of Rs. 50,000 to Dr. Shyamaprasad Mukerjee which brings the total remittance up-to-date to Rs. 2,00,000. The collections to the Fund now total over Rs. 2,50,000. Total collections of the "Janmabhoomi" and "Nutan Gujarat" Fund now exceed Rs. 1,85,000.

It is understood that a sum of Rs. 16,000 has been contributed through the efforts of Mrs. Bapsey Sabavala.

CHARITY MATCHES REALIZE RS. 2,001

Thanks to the efforts of the Indian Football League the Bengal Relief Fund will benefit to the extent of Rs. 2,001.

The exhibition matches proved to be a great success. Apart from the record gate-receipts and the collection of Rs. 152 by the ladies on sale of programmes, a generous donation of Rs. 225 by Mrs. S. C. Banerji on the spot helped to raise the total to the above figure.

The first match between the Beverley Wanderers and the G. I. P. Railway ended in a victory for the latter by a solitary goal.

The score of 3 goals to one in favour of the League Champions does not correctly indicate the run of play. Mrs. Bapsey Sabawalla caused a lot of amusement among the spectators by kicking off with bare feet.

Rs. 30 Lakhs For Relief Work In Ceded Districts

MADRAS, Sept. 13.

Over 30 lakhs of rupees was sanctioned by the Government of Madras for expenditure on relief works in the famine affected areas of the Ceded Districts last month.

A press note issued in this connection states: "The distress in parts of the Bellary, Anantapur and Kurnool Districts caused by unfavourable seasonal conditions continued to be acute throughout August 1943. During the month 30 relief works in the Bellary District, 25 relief works and one test work in the Anantapur District and eight relief works in the Kurnool District provided employment for the distressed persons."—A. P.

ARYAN LEAGUE FOR BENGAL RELIEF

The Hon. Secretary of the International Aryan League, Delhi, writes: Shrimati Chandra Vati Devi, the wife of Shri Pt. Indraji Vidya Vachaspati, Managing Director Veer Arjun gave a donation of Rs. 101 which was immediately followed by a donation of Rs. 101 from the Veer Arjun office. A cheque for Rs. 848 has been received from the Arya Samaj Mhow Cantt. (C.I.) towards the funds. Among other donors may be mentioned: Shri Dinabai R. Patel Rs. 500: Shri R. S. Rani Chandra and Sons Rs. 250: Shri Shaligram and Sons Rs. 50.

Individual Ration Cards

Distribution Will Begin In 'A' And 'B' Wards

The present family ration cards in Bombay City will expire on October 17 and will be replaced by individual ration cards written out in the names of individual members of each household. The distribution of these cards will begin in A and B Wards in the first instance.

Rationing inspectors will distribute these cards at their houses to residents of A Ward on September 17, 18 and 19 and to those of B Ward on September 19, 20, 21 and 22. The hours of distribution will be 7-30 to 11 in the morning and 4-30 to 8 in the evening on each day.

Cards will be distributed to those members of the household who are actually present on the premises at the time of distribution. Receipts will be taken from each individual except that in the case of persons of less than 18 years, the receipt of the householder will be taken.

Residents of the A and B Wards are therefore requested to stay indoors during those hours on the specified days with all members of their household, to receive their cards.

Holders must retain for the present the current family ration cards as well as the new cards. The family ration cards will have to be surrendered by holders at their ration shops after obtaining their supplies during the 24th week (i.e. October 10 to 16) when they will also register their new cards with the dealers.

Repudiation Of Contract

(Before the Hon. the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Chagla)

Messrs. Utoomal and Assoodamal Co. ..... Appellants (Original Plaintiffs)

Versus

Messrs M. Siddique and Co. ..... Respondents (Original Defendants)

On the 5th and 6th of December, 1941, the plaintiffs entered into three contracts to sell to the defendants, in all, 125 bales of cotton yarn of Gokak Mills "shipment January/February 1942. To take delivery as soon as we get". In April last, the Court of Appeal differing from the trial judge Mr. Justice Kania, held that the word "shipment" in the contract was used instead of "delivery" by mutual mistake of parties and remanded the case back to the trial Court for trial of the issues as to whether or not the defendants had repudiated the contracts and committed a breach thereof and as to whether or not the plaintiffs had been ready and willing to carry out their part of the contract and had sustained any damages.

On remand, Mr. Justice Kania found that the defendants had not repudiated the contracts but that the plaintiffs had not been ready and willing to carry out the contracts on 28th February, 1942.

Aggrieved by these findings of the trial judge, the appellants filed their objections to the same.

Their Lordships allowed the appeal and held that the correspondence showed that the defendants had repudiated the contracts and that the evidence did not go so far as to prove that the plaintiffs were "wholly and finally disabled from performing" the contract (1923) A.C. 48 at 72). Their Lordships, therefore, held that the plaintiffs were entitled to damages at the rate of Rs. 3 per bundle of 10 pounds, that being the difference between the contract rate and the market rate at the date of the breach.

MADRAS: The "Indian Express" Bengal Relief Fund now exceeds Rs. 80,000. Rs. 75,000 has been remitted to Dr. Shyamaprasad Mukerjee.

TÊTE-À-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

Mr. Winston Churchill, replying to a message of congratulation on the unconditional surrender of Italy from the Polish Prime Minister, M. Stanislaw Mikolajczyk, said: "This is a milestone on the road to the liberation of the enslaved peoples of Europe and the establishment of security and justice."
—Reuter.

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Reviewing a recent book on India by an American correspondent, an American paper says: "Though convinced that the Indian crisis can and should be solved.....Mr. MacKenzie is careful not to predict that a settlement will be forthcoming."

That is to say, Mr. MacKenzie's knows his British allies very well.

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In an important broadcast Mr. Cordell Hull has sketched on behalf of the U. S. A. a delightfully idealistic scheme of the new world order and international co-operation. It is sufficiently—er—well designed to serve every aspiration of every kind to be objectionable.

But there is one item in his scheme which is rather ominous and open to a powerful protest from Mr. Churchill. And it is the very first, too, in which he establishes decent respect to opinions of mankind as the criterion for a people's right to liberty and its enjoyment.

It may well be interpreted to mean that Mr. Churchill's Imperial Britain is not entitled to liberty. Mr. Cordell Hull ought to make the position clear, in fact repudiate this clause—as also Clause 3—in the interests of Anglo-American co-operative hitch hiking over "each other's estates."

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METROPOLITAN WANTS NO PROFITEERING
—Headline.

Good. But it would be patently irrelevant to ask if His Grace also wants no profiteering, economic and political, by one country at the expense of another.

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Back to the German prison house, Mussolini is in the news again and wil remain there for at least a few months more.

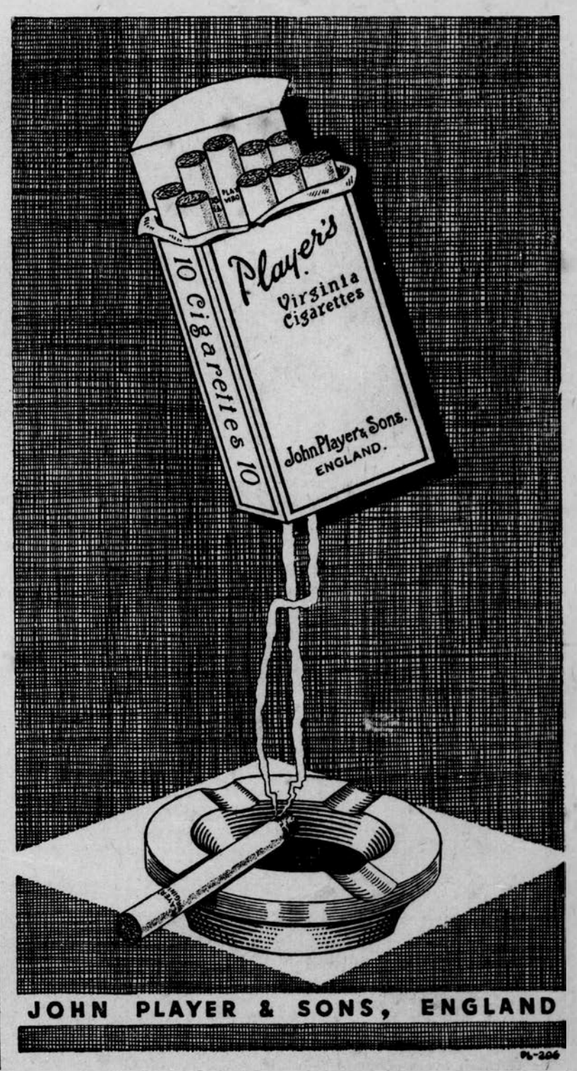
Meanwhile one cannot help noting that he set out to become a "man of destiny" and so far destiny has responded to his ambition only too well.

It has taken him a little too literally and marking him for its own has made of him a sort of cat and mouse man destiny.

As the Duce himself said, when dwelling with his usual eloquence on the defeats in East Africa, Cyrenaica and Greece, destiny seized him by the throat.'

Since then destiny has been playing the entertaining game of seizing and letting go of the throat and occasionally dragging him by it, too. Badoglio's capture of the Duce was only a continuation of the game of which the latest development is that destiny has taken him, by the throat, again to the Germans.

What does destiny intend to do with its man next? And his throat.



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"NAGABAWA"—A PLAY ON BEGGARS' LIFE

"Nagabawa", one of the popular plays by Mr. Chandravadan Mehta will be presented at the Princess Theatre, Kalbadevi, to-night at 9-30 p.m. by the Abhinaya Niketan, a new organisation founded with the object of promoting theatrical art. The play throws light on the trade carried on by the clan of professional beggars. The Abhinaya Niketan has gathered an efficient cast and claims sound backing from the Kalam Mandal—an organisation of young Gujarati litterateurs of broad and progressive outlook.

SMALLER STATES' REACTION TO MERGER PROPOSAL

(From Our Correspondent)
RAJKOT, Sept. 13

Third and Fourth Class States rulers met here yesterday, to consider their proposed merger with bigger States. It is understood they have decided to make further representations to the Viceroy for their separate group and in the representation, they are said to make a proposal for a common Executive Council for their group beside common judiciary and police.

BAIL EXTENDED

BOMBAY, Monday.

Nine cotton merchants were arrested by the Bombay C.I.D. on Saturday for alleged breach of Cotton Cloth and Yarn Control order.

The arrest was effected by the police following several surprise raids on the shops at Mulji Jetha Market. The accused, it was stated, were found in possession of several bales of cotton cloth which had been manufactured before August 1 and also did not have tex. mark on them.

The accused were subsequently released and their bail period was extended for a fortnight at the Mazagaon Police Court to-day.

SIR LESLIE WILSON'S STATUE DISFIGURED

(From Our Correspondent)
KOLHAPUR, Sept. 13

Some unknown persons reported to be dressed in police uniforms ascended the marble statue of Sir Leslie Wilson standing in the centre of Kolhapur city early this morning and knocked off its nose and hands after disfiguring late Bombay Governor's statue.

The disguised men disappeared.

RATIONING IN AHMEDABAD

(From Our Correspondent)
AHMEDABAD, Sept. 13

It is understood rationing will be introduced in Ahmedabad from November 1st. Mr. Mahamadbhai Patel, Deputy Collector of Kaira has been appointed rationing officer.

SIR PATRICK SPENS VISITS HIGH COURT

BOMBAY, Monday.

The Honourable Sir Patrick Spens, the Chief Justice of India who is now in Bombay visited the premises of the Bombay High Court this noon. His Lordship who was shown round some of the courts passed a few minutes in each of them evincing keen interest in the work going on there.

34 CASES BEFORE 4TH CRIMINAL SESSIONS

BOMBAY, Monday.

The fourth criminal sessions of the High Court of Bombay for the current year commenced to-day before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Blagden.

There were in all 34 cases on the list involving 57 accused. Of these seven are bomb cases involving nine accused persons who were recently tried and committed to Sessions by Mr. G. A. Sabnis, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court, for various charges under the Explosive Substances Act.

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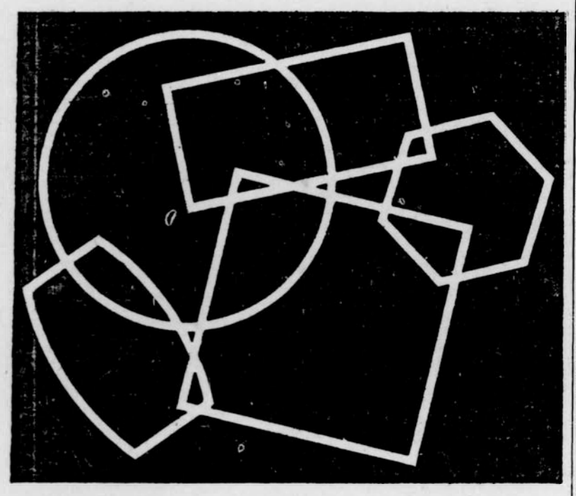

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Sunrise: 7-2 a.m., Sunset 7-41 p.m.
Hightide: —, 12-01, Lowtide 5-37, 18-00.

To-day's Engagements

FOOD CRISIS:—Under the joint auspices of the Federation of Social Welfare Associations, Social Service League, Social Workers' Society, Bhagini Samaj, Bombay Women's Association, Bombay Students' Brotherhood, Progressive Group, Young Men's Christian Association, Young Men's Parsi Association, Bombay Vigilance Association, Ramkrishna Mission, Bombay Medical Association, a public meeting to express people's concern at the grave food crises facing the country will be held to-day (Tuesday) at 6 p.m. at Sunderabai Hall, Mr. N M Joshi, M.L.A., will preside, and Mrs. Hansa Mehta, M.L.C., Mr. B G Horniman, Mr. J M Mehta, M.L.A. Mr. M R A Baig, Dr. J M Kumarappa, Swami Sambudhanand, Dr. K K Dadachanji, Mr. D V Pradhan and others will address the meeting.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE:—The Voluntary Social Workers' Training Class will meet to-day at the League's Head Office, Sandhurst Road, Girgaon, when Prof. P J Shroff, M.A., LL.M., will deliver a lecture on "The Bombay Prostitution Act" at 6-30 p.m.

CHIKITSAKA SAMOOHA PAST STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Under the auspices of the above Association, there will be a lecture by Prof. Anant Kanekar to-day at 7 p.m. (S. T.) in the premises of the C S Shirolkar High School, Kandewadi, Bombay 4.

PUBLIC LECTURE:—Under the auspices of the Gatha Society, Sheth Behramgore Tehmuras Anklesaria, will deliver to-day at 6 p.m. (S.T.) a public lecture in Gujarati on the following subject at the K R Cama Oriental Institute Hall, "What: if the believer in the most ancient religion of Holy Zarathustra were to compare it with other religions that existed after that Holy Prophet, Part II".

A R P LECTURE:—Meeting of the Incident Officers' Association at B E S T Conference Hall at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.) to-day. Talk by Major R E G Webber on the reports received about the work done by Incident Officers at the last A R P Exercise on 2nd August 1943.

Please send your contributions to the President, Ramakrishna Ashram, Khar, Bombay, for the Bengal Starvation Relief Fund. The Mission is working in an extensive area comprising Calcutta, its Suburbs and 12 other districts in Bengal.

The total collection un till 10th September, 1943, is about Rs. 60,000.

PROGRESSIVE GROUP:—The meeting called by the Group on Thursday, the 16th inst. at the Taj where Mr. Verrier Elwin was to speak has, owing to his illness, been postponed to next week.

BOMBAY WOMEN'S WORK GUILD: Farewell "At Home" in honour of Lady Beaumont, by the Bombay Women's Work Guild at the P V M Gymkhana to-day at 5-15 p.m. followed by a short musical programme.

KANARA SARASWAT ASSOCIATION:—A Branch of the Balkan-ji-Bari (All-India Children's Association) will be inaugurated by Rao Saheb R N Nayampalli at 7 p.m. to-day (Tuesday) and the Boy and Girl Scout Troops will be inaugurated, by Dewan Bahadur N R Gundil at 7-30 p.m.

BATTLE OF BRITAIN:—To-day (Tuesday) the Air Forces in India and Ceylon will commemorate the Battle of Britain, Colour hoisting parades will be held at the various commands, groups and units. Messages in honour of the event will be read by Commanding Officers, on Sunday, September 26, special church parades will also be held throughout India and Ceylon.

CITY MARKETS

Bombay, Sept. 13.

SHARES: The local Share Bazar opened quiet under the influence of ban on Budla business. There being only limited Forward business very little influence was seen on the price structure and active support soon appeared with the result that a portion of the opening decline was recovered and the market displayed signs of confidence. After 24th inst., there will be no budla or carry Forward business and all outstanding contracts will have to be evened up. Thus where there are protected sales, short sellers will have to bid up prices to fulfil their obligations and weak holders will be obliged to liquidate their holdings. These operations may result into temporary irregular price movements. The long-range outlook entirely depends. industrial outlook. war news and currency expansion. Tata Steel Dfds. opened at Rs. 1,855 and improved to Rs. 1,865, while Ordinary Shares were quoted at Rs. 376, Bombay Dyeings opened at Rs. 1,890 and soon rose to Rs. 1,925, Century Shares opened at Rs. 832 and hardened to Rs. 850. Kohinoor Shares opened at Rs. 580 and improved to Rs. 595. The market being oversold in some active Shares, there was increased covering. Later on the improvement met moderate liquidation.

Later on Steel Shares ruled easy on increased selling but Textile Shares remaind very steady.

BULLION: The local market was very steady to-day with improved demand for Gold. It was reported that Banks were not offering any Gold at current quotations which encouraged buyers. However the turnover was restricted. Silver was quietly steady with mixed operations on either side. Foreign markets were unchanged. Gold delivery was quoted at Rs. 70-12 and Silver business was done at Rs 115-10

Later on there was active buying and offerings being small prices flared up. Quotations, Ready Silver Rs. 118 Delivery Rs. 117-8. Ready Gold Rs. 73-6 delivery Rs. 73 and Sovereigns Rs. 51-12.

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, Sept. 13.

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Statement Of The Affairs Of The Imperial Bank

Statement of the Affairs of the Imperial Bank of India on the 3rd September, 1943.

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL:— Rs. 5,62,50,000, Reserve Fund Rs. 5,75,00,000, Fixed Deposit, Savings Bank, Current and other Accounts Rs. 197,73,41,000, Sundries Rs. 95,56,000. Rs. 210,06,57,000

ASSETS

INVESTMENTS Government Securities:— Rs. 130,39,18,000, Other Authorised Investments Rs. 2,08,56,000.

ADVANCES Loans:— Rs 11,56,76,000, Cash Credit and Overdrafts Rs. 21,05,64,000. Bills Discounted and Purchased Rs. 2,99,99,000. Dead Stock Rs. 1,71,98,000. Sundries Rs. 77,74,000.

CASH:— In hand and with the Reserve Bank of India Rs 37,16,99,000. Balances with other Banks Rs. 2,29,73,000. Rs. 210,06,57,000

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

CALCUTTA, September 13.

The market opened weak for the speculative engineering issues after the weekend while other principal stocks kept their trend steady and active. The volume of business was fair and Government securities were unchanged.—A. P.

BHARATIYA VIDYA BHAVAN:—Prof. K G Gyani, will deliver a lecture on "The Migration of Indian Culture to other Countries" at the Bhratiya Vidya Bhavan at 6-30 p.m. to-morrow (Wednesday) The Hon'ble Mr. Justice H V Divatia will preside. The lecture is open to the public.

The lecture is open to the public.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ADJOURNED:—The Municipal Corporation adjourned on Monday apparantly on account of Anantchaturthi holiday. Mr. R K Tatnis moved adjournment of the House, which was carried unanimously. Dr. J A Collaco presided.

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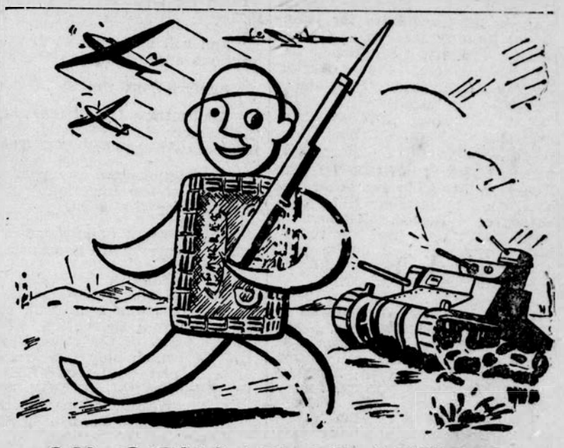

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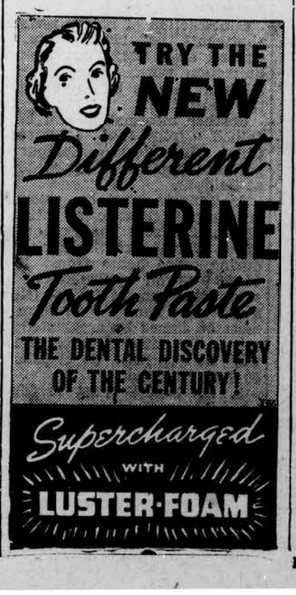

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PUBLIC NOTICES

DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF SUPPLY

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONTROLLER OF PURCHASE (SUPPLY)

Medical Division.

Tender No. P|342|B.

Tenders are invited for the supply of:—

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Tender forms which are not transferable, may be obtained on payment of Rs. 3|-|- per set, which amount is not refundable from the Chief Controller of Purchase (Supply), Medical Division or from the Controller of Supply, Madras|Calcutta|Bombay|Lahore|Cawnpore|Karachi. Payment should be made in cash or by Money Order, quoting remitter's full address and the above tender No. on the Money Order coupon.

Applicants not already on the list of approved contractors maintained by the Chief Administrative Officer (Purchase Branch) Department of supply, must state the name of their bankers.

Tenders will be received upto 4 p. m. on 28-9-1943. (6076)

G. I. P. RAILWAY

ICE CONTAINERS FOR COOLING COMPARTMENTS

IT IS NOTIFIED for the information of the travelling public that the supplying of ice containers to passengers over this Railway will be discontinued as from **15th September, 1943.** 6080

PUBLIC NOTICES

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

LOANS

3 Per Cent Loans, 1956

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
Rs. 125 lakhs—Issue Price at Rs. 99-8-0%

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EACH LOAN WILL BEAR INTEREST FROM THE 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1943

Open for ONE DAY ONLY, viz., TUESDAY, the 14th September, 1943

and will be closed at any time on that day as soon as subscriptions approximate to the amounts of each issue.

Subscriptions will be in the form of Cash|Cheque.

Applications for all four loans will be received at the offices of the Reserve Bank of India, Bombay, Calcutta, Madras and Delhi, **from 10 A.M. STANDARD TIME.**

Applications for any particular loan will also be received at branches of the Imperial Bank of India, situated within the Province issuing that loan.

In the event of any one or more of the loans being oversubscribed, proportionate allotment will be made to the subscribers.

N. B.—Applicants tendering their applications at the offices of the Reserve Bank of India, Bombay, Calcutta, Madras and Delhi will, in the event of oversubscription, be given the option of transferring their cash refunds to any of the other loans at the same or lower issue price which may not be fully subscribed, provided they complete and tender along with their loan applications, the SPECIAL OPTION FORM, copies of which are obtainable on application from the above-mentioned offices of the Reserve Bank of India.

Copies of the Notifications and Application Forms may be obtained at any Receiving Office along with a copy of the Press Communique giving the financial position of the Provincial Government(s).

(6009)

BENGAL & ASSAM RAILWAY

NOTICE OF TENDER

1. SEALED LUMP SUM TENDERS are invited by the Engineer-in-Chief, War Works, Saidpur for doubling the existing B. & A. Railway M. G. line as under:—

ZONE NO.		miles.
1	Bongaigaon (exclusive) to Sorbhog (exclusive)	21
2	Sorbhog (inclusive) to Rangiya (exclusive)	45
3	Rangiya to Amingaon (exclusive)	21
4	Construction of a new M.G. Railway line between Amingaon & Gauhati including construction of a new bridge over Brahmaputra River	7

ALTERNATIVE PROJECTS ARE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW LINES AS UNDER:—

ZONE NO.		miles.
1A	Bongaigaon to Jogigopa	22
2A	Jogigopa to Goalpara including construction of a bridge over Brahmaputra between Jogigopa and Goalpara	2
3A	Goalpara to Gauhati ...	35

GENERAL SPECIFICATION

Works included are for building up an earth formation adjacent and parallel to the existing single line formation for laying an additional M. G. track.

Construction of station and service buildings and station staff qrs. including supply of building materials such as brick, lime, gravel, cement, ballast, thatching materials, etc. complete.

Construction of bridge piers and abutments, bed blocks, etc. excluding steel works but including protection works where necessary, all materials to be supplied by the contractor.

Further information can be obtained from the Engineer-in-Chief, War Works, Saidpur on personal application after 15-9-43 at Saidpur.

2. Tenders must be submitted on the prescribed forms which are obtainable from the Engineer-in-Chief, War Works, Saidpur's Office during office hours from 15-9-43 to 28-9-43 on payment of unrefundable sum of Rs. 5|- (Rupees five) only. Each tender form sold must be signed by a gazetted Officer at the time of sale. Tenders will be opened at 11 Hrs. on 30-9-43 in public.

3. Rs. 10,000|- must be deposited as earnest money with the Engineer-in-Chief, War Works, Saidpur or the Accounts Officer, Construction, Saidpur and a preliminary receipt obtained therefor.

ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF,
War Works, Saidpur.
6079

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. ISHWARLAL KARSONDAS, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office No. 23, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax Land or ground, containing by admeasurement 160 sq. yds. or thereabouts and on the South thereof a piece or parcel of leasehold land or ground, containing by admeasurement 194 sq. yds. or thereabouts making together 374 sq. yds. or thereabouts together with the messuages, tenements or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Chaupatty Sea Face, without the Fort of Bombay, in the City of Bombay and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, known as "Chaupatty Central" and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 86 and 107, New Nos. C1|744 and C1|871 and D1|16876 present New Nos. A|169 and 8061, Old Survey Nos. 179 and 179, New Survey Nos. part of 4A|7997 and 8A|8005, Cadastral Survey No. 1|1521 of Girgaum Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward No. 2445(6) and Street Nos. 19A-21, Present Street No. 21 A and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of late Vithaldas Thakoredas, on or towards the West by the property of Babulal Gangadas, on or towards the North by the property of Safforabai, daughter of Ahmedbhoy, Noormahomedbhoy and widow of Haji Usman Jamal Vayani and on or towards the South by the public foot path and beyond that by Chaupatty Sea Face.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1943.

DIKSHIT MANEKLAL & CO.
(6062) Purchaser's Attorneys.

AUCTION SALES

SALE OF BRITISH MADE New Brass and Iron Bedsteads will take place TO-MORROW at 3 p.m. at the sale room of the undersigned as previously advertised in the "Bombay Chronicle" of the 11th instant.

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Applications will be received at the Offices of the Reserve Bank of India, at Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi and Madras and at the Branches of the Imperial Bank of India in the Province of Bombay.

Full particulars can be obtained at any of the Offices or branches mentioned above or at any Treasury or Sub-Treasury in the Province of Bombay.

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WANTED

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from candidates of either sex for temporary posts of Stenographers in the scale of Rs. 90-5-160. The applicants should possess a minimum speed of 120 words per minute for 10 minutes in Shorthand and 40 words per minute in typing. Preference will be given to candidates with previous Office experience.

2. Applications should be submitted immediately to the Assistant Secretary (Administration) Office of the Textile Commissioner, Shahibagh House, Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay. 6083

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HARISCHANDRA KRISHNARAO KOREGAOKAR and PADMABAI, wife of Harischandra Krishnarao Koregaokar, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, exchange, gift, trust, lease, lien, charge, possession, partition maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Yusuf Building, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of Sanadi land or ground together with messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Lower Colaba Road, within the Fort, in the City of Bombay, fronting the said Road on the West side thereof in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 1,526 Sq. Yds. or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old Nos. 110, 111 and 112 and Collector's New Nos. 1/4787, 4788, 4789 Old Survey Nos. 248 and 251 and New Survey No. 1A/9665 and Cadastral Survey No. 73 of Colaba Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Street Nos. 122, 124 and 126 and Ward Nos. 236-37-38 and New Ward Nos. 236, 237, 238 and 239 and New Street Nos. 87, 87A and 126 to 126E and bounded on or towards the North by the Plot belonging to Shrinbai, widow of Rahim Vallimahomed, on or towards the South by the Government Military Quarters of the Ordinance Department, on or towards the East by the Lower Colaba Road leading to the Light-House and on or towards the West by the Woodhouse Road formerly called Queen's Road and Backbay Road.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1943.

MALVI RANCHHODDAS & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EAST AND WEST INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, have contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property.

All persons having any claim interest or demand whatsoever against in or upon the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, share, possession, lease, incumbrances, lien, charge, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to give notice thereof in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Cama Building, 24-26, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which the said sale will be completed without any reference to any such claim interest or demand howsoever and the same, if any, will be treated and considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Foras land, settled under Act VI of 1851 with the messuage tenements or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being on the Ferguson Road now known as Sun Mill Road in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 1,011 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 138, 359, 195, 406, 452, 465, New Nos. F/12068, 2/12436, A/12142, New Survey Nos. 1Aa/2830, 1Aa/2831 and 2/2833 Cadastral Survey No. 214 of Lower Parel Division and in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward Nos. 2060(2) and 2060(3), Old Street Nos. 1056A, 1056AA and New Street Nos. 76, 76A, 78, 78A and 98B and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Lilabai widow of Bhimsey Bhoja and formerly of Ahmed Suleman, on or towards the West by the property of Sheriar Kaikhushru Irani, on or towards the North by the property of Jamshed Manufacturing Co., Ltd. and on or towards the South by the Sun Mill Road (described as public passage in the former documents).

Dated this 8th day of September, 1943.

VAKIL DADABHOY & BHARUCHA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 1127 of 1943

KALYANAPPA MURGAPPA KALYANSHETTI, of Sholapur Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Sholapur for himself and other the Shareholders of the 4th Defendant Company except Defendants 5, 6, 7 and 8 ..... Plaintiff.

versus

(1) Dr. TAHERALLY MAHOMEDALLY KAJIJI, of Bombay, Muslim Inhabitant, residing at Queens Road, within the Fort of Bombay, (2) GANSHYAMDAS NARAYANDAS RAJPAL, of Khar, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Khar in the Bombay Suburban District, (3) ASIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY, LTD., a Company, registered under the Indian Companies Act and having its registered Office at Asian Building, Ballard Estate, within the Fort of Bombay, (4) GENERAL FINANCIERS, LTD., a Company registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1913 and till recently having its Registered Office at Apollo Street, within the Fort of Bombay, (5) MEYER NISSIM, of Bombay Jew Inhabitant, residing at Colaba Road, within the Fort of Bombay, (6) OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE of Bombay and Assignee of the estate and effects of the 5th Defendant and having its Office in the High Court of Bombay, (7) CHANBASAPPA MALLAPA VARAD, of Sholapur Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Sholapur, (8) CHHOTALAL TRICUMLAL PARIKH, of Ghatkopar Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Ghatkopar in the Bombay Suburban District and (9) JAMNADAS MADHAVJI MEHTA of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Ridge Road, outside the Fort of Bombay ..... Defendants.

To,

The Shareholders of the General Financiers, Ltd.

PURSUANT to the Order made herein by the Honourable Mr Justice Coyajee on the 14th day of August, 1943, Notice is hereby given under Order 1, Rule 8, of the Code of Civil Procedure that the Plaintiff abovenamed has filed the above suit for himself and other the Shareholders of the General Financiers, Ltd., except Defendants 5, 6, 7 and 8 above named.

The Plaintiff in this suit prays for the following reliefs:—

(A) That it may be declared that the Resolution of the Directors of the 4th Defendant Company, dated 14th August 1938, annexed as Ex. "B" to the Plaint and the Resolution of the 15th August, 1938 annexed as Ex. "C" to the Plaint are invalid, ultra vires and not binding on the 4th Defendant Company.

(B) That it may be declared that the Debenture Trust Deed dated 19th August, 1938, is invalid ultra vires and not binding on the 4th Defendant Company and that the debt under the said Trust Deed, if any, is not binding on the 4th Defendant Company.

(C) That it may be declared that the Debentures issued under the said Trust Deed are invalid, ultra vires and not binding on the 4th Defendant Company.

(D) That it may be declared that the Resolution of the Directors, dated the 29th August, 1938, is invalid ultra vires and not binding on the 4th Defendant Company.

(E) That it may be declared that the Debenture Trust Deed and the 2nd Debenture Debentures issued under the said Resolution, dated 29th August, 1933 are invalid ultra vires and not binding on the 4th Defendant Company.

(F) That the said Debenture Trust Deed, referred to in prayers C and E hereof and the respectively issued Debentures may be declared void and inoperative and may be ordered to be delivered up for being cancelled.

(G) That the Defendants 1 and 2 may be ordered to hand over to the 4th Defendant Company the assets of the 4th Defendant Company come to their hands by virtue of the said Debenture Trust Deed annexed Ex. "D" to the Plaint or otherwise together with all the books of account papers and vouchers belonging to the 4th Defendant Company.

(H) That pending the hearing and final disposal of this suit a Receiver may be appointed to take charge of all the assets books of account properties decrees vouchers papers etc. belonging to the 4th Defendant Company.

(I) That pending the hearing and final disposal of this suit the 1st and 2nd Defendants may be restrained by an order and injuction of this Honourable Court from dealing with or disposing of any of the assets properties securities and shares belonging to the 4th Defendant Company or from acting for the 4th Defendant Company or interfering with the affairs thereof.

(J) That in the alternative and without prejudice to the prayers aforesaid the Defendants 1, 3, 5 and 9 may be ordered to pay to the 4th Defendant Company the sum of Rs. 2,93,000|- and interest or such other sum or sums as may be held to have been lost to the 4th Defendant Company by reason of the fraud and misrepresentations of Defendants 1, 5 and 9 in pursuance of the said plan.

(K) That one or more of the Defendants as this Honourable Court may deem proper may be ordered to pay to the Plaintiff's costs of this suit and interest on judgment at 6% per annum.

(L) For such further and other reliefs as the circumstances of the case may require.

AND take further Notice that the hearing of the suit has been fixed for the 15th day of November, 1943.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1943.

(Sd.)
G. G. MAHADEVIA,
For Prothonotary & Senior Master

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

Sd.) K. K. DASTUR

This 9th day of September, 1943.
(Sd.) MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM & MADAN
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that NAZARALLY ABDULALLY KHORAKIWALLA of Bombay Bohra Manomedan Inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client, free from all encumbrances.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at the undermentioned address, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land of the Foras Tenure, (Cessredeemed) situate, on the East side of Ripon Road in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, admeasuring according to previous title deeds (191) Square Yards or thereabouts, admeasuring according to the recent actual admeasurement (200) Square yards or thereabouts and bearing Collector's Old Nos. 135-524, New No. J/13645, Old Survey No. 268-270, New Survey No. 18/3554 and Cadastral Survey No. 1734 of Byculla Division together with the Building standing thereon all which premises bear Municipal E Ward No. 3877 (11) and Street Nos. 189-20 and 20A and are bounded on or towards the North by the property of Fazul Jan Mahomed on or towards the South by the said Ripon Road Cross Lane, on or towards the East by the property of Bhumji Girdhar and on or towards the West by Ripon Road.

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